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One of Santa's admirers tries to convince him that she's "good for goodness' sake" all year, and now deserves some Christmas goodies. Hiding behind the beard is Phi Kappa President Gail Fitch, (jr.-Gal.)

Fr. Wellman Deems Extended Christmas Vacation Unlikely

The energy crisis became very real to the Saint Joseph's College community during the last few weeks, as the campus united in an effort to effect widespread energy cutbacks.

At this point in time, there is no way to pinpoint exactly how much we've already cut back, as the college has not been billed yet for the time period during which the cutbacks began. It is most likely that we are meeting the percentage necessary to

alleviate the strain we had imposed on Rensselaer's fuel resources.

According to Fr. Paul Wellman, Vice-President for Business Affairs, we have turned off several hundred bulbs that were judged unessential to campus safety and security. The use of Halleck Center has been limited, as well as the use of the laundromat and the fieldhouse. Besides resulting in monetary savings to the college, these cutbacks have a great effect on the amount of energy we conserve for the city of Rensselaer.

Wellman considered it unlikely that the campus should experience any further power cutbacks. In fact, some outdoor lights have been turned back on because their elimination posed either a safety or security problem. The light at the main gate has been turned back on for the purpose of identifying this institution.

The school's coal supply is fairly stable. Because we use a little over one semi-truckload of coal per day, stockpiling is impossible due to lack of space. We have leveled off at maintaining two to four weeks' worth of coal, and our supplies do not appear threatened in the immediate future.

Perhaps the most controversial aspect of the campus energy situation is the possibility of re-arranging next semester's schedule to conserve energy. As it stands right now, the schedule will remain as it was, with no extension of Christmas break. The final decision, however, is the responsibility of the President's Council and the Academic Cabinet.

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Pulitzer Prize Winner Gwendolyn Brooks Keynotes SJC Creative Writing Workshop

By JAMES OLSON

Gwendolyn Brooks, Pulitzer Prize winner and Poet Laureate of Illinois, lectured and held poetry readings at Saint Joseph's College Thursday and Friday in conjunction with the English Department creative writing workshop this weekend.

Born in Topeka, Kan., Miss Brooks was raised in Chicago and graduated from Wilson Junior College. She was awarded the Pulitzer Prize for Poetry in 1950 and was appointed Poet Laureate of Illinois in 1968 by Governor Otto Kerner. Gwendolyn Brooks is the author or editor of over one dozen books ranging from children's stories and poetry to a novel and her autobiography. Dr. Charles Kerlin, Chairman of the English Department, calls her "one of the four or five best poets writing in America today."

Since the first publication of her writing when she was 13 years old, Miss Brooks' work has undergone a marked change in content and is recognized for its technical expertise. Whereas she formerly focused her concern on the personal struggles and emotions of a black woman, she now expresses the more general ideas and perspectives of the emergent black in the seventies. The New York Times Review of Books describes her recent work as "moving toward gesture, sound, intonation, attitude and other characteristics that depend on oral presentation rather than private eyeballing." Her lectures combine the reading of and commentary on her own works and the works of contemporary poets. Miss Brooks' lecture topics include the source of poetry, its relation to the living, the poetry of the new blacks, and black literature.

Included in her itinerary was a public lecture-reading given Thursday evening, at 7:30 in Justin second floor lounge. Miss Brooks will also be available to attend class discussions or club meetings upon request.

Friday evening at 7:30 in the auditorium, Miss Brooks will give the keynote address for "Workshop II," a weekend writing workshop being held on campus this weekend. The workshop is attended by high school seniors interested in exploring the styles and techniques of creative writing.

Also participating in the workshop as a consultant is Stu Dybek, formerly of the Creative Writing Workshop

at the University of Iowa and now a teacher of creative writing at Western Michigan University in Kalamazoo. Dybek will meet Saturday with workshop participants to offer professional criticism of their stories, plays, or poems.

Pumas Spread Holiday Cheer Via Goodwill Drives, Parties

By GLYNIS McMANAMON

In spite of the seemingly endless supply of exams, papers, and other fun things that occupy one's time in the last few weeks of the semester, Saint Joe students somehow manage to celebrate and share the holiday spirit through a variety of activities on and off campus.

The Christmas season officially opened Dec. 2 with an old-fashioned tree trimming party in Halleck Center, complete with construction paper chains and popcorn garlands. Students decked the hall while the Concert Band provided the appropriate yuletide atmosphere, under the direction of Charles Lee.

Extending the Christmas spirit to the community, Phi Kappa Fraternity is sponsoring a lunch and tour of the campus, Dec. 7, for handicapped children from Marion School. From Dec. 12-20, the fraternity brothers will play Santa in Rensselaer courthouse square, and will also hold a one-float parade Dec. 15 to raise money for the purchase of equipment for Marion School. The fraternity has scheduled a Christmas party for active members and Little Sisters, Dec. 13.

Also involved in the spirit of giving, the Black Student Union is sponsoring a Christmas clothing drive for needy families from Dec. 5-15. Boxes will be placed in each dorm, and clothing will be donated to Goodwill and the Salvation Army in Rensselaer.

Santa Claus will make his campus debut Dec. 14 at the mixer and tree-trimming party sponsored by the Student Association and Columbian Players in the Chapel cafeteria. Music will be provided by the Happy Medium. Holiday spirits will flow freely as Aquinas, Bennett and Merlini Halls simultaneously stage their annual Christmas parties Dec. 15. Still making his rounds, Santa will put in an appearance in each dorm in the course of the evening.

Offering students a "break from the usual beer blast," Pam Blaydes, (jr.-Jus.), Jeanette Warren, (soph.-Jus.), and Lemonie Freeman, (soph.-Hal.), are hosting a formal Christmas

party, Dec. 15 at 9 p.m., in the Halleck Center conference rooms. Admission is \$1 per person, \$1.75 per couple, and formal attire is required.

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Adding an international flavor to the yuletide diversions, ARA will serve an "English Christmas Dinner" Dec. 12. The buffet-style meal will

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A Christmas Message

The Christmas story is love—giving love and receiving it, too.

Exchanging gifts, freedom from school, and visiting friends and relatives characterize the holidays, but each of us vaguely realizes that these activities in themselves are not the most important aspects of Christmas.

At his birth, Jesus was helpless and could do nothing; he had to receive. During the past year, Saint Joseph's College has been helpless in some ways, and we have been on the receiving end. The prompt response of SJC students to the fire of last February 4, the concern of the citizens of Rensselaer, and the combined support of the Board of Trustees, alumni, and parents are all gifts of love.

So we realize that receiving love is just as important as giving it. When we are in need, accepting help graciously and gratefully, and without hurt, pride or resentment, is very much a sign of love to our fellow men and to God. Our prayer this Christmas must be that we understand that love is *both* giving and receiving. Then we can respond to the admonition of Saint John: "My dear people let us love one another since love comes from God and everyone who loves is begotten by God and knows God." (I John 4:7)

Charles Banet, CHS.

PRESIDENT OF THE
SAINT JOSEPH'S COLLEGE COMMUNITY

Let Us Know

On Nov. 30, Woollen Associates, the Indianapolis-based architectural firm, presented to the Board of Trustees plans for the renovation of the campus.

According to college officials in attendance at that meeting, the "philosophy of Woollen Associates" was given approval. The architects have been given the go-ahead to make designs for the renovation of many existing buildings.

In the meantime, no construction contracts have been issued pending a study of the financial feasibility of the plans. At present the building and rebuilding is estimated to cost about \$5.5 million.

It has been suggested by Ben Sponseller, SA President, and we give support to this plan, for a convocation or some such open forum to be held on campus. This would allow administrators an opportunity to inform students of the plans for renovation on a first-hand basis. Thus students would be permitted to ask questions and convey ideas on plans immediately affecting all of us.

Raise Salaries

The faculty's request for an across-the-board, cost-of-living increase in salary is justifiable and valid in light of the inflationary trends of the economy in the last several years.

According to the calculations of the Welfare Committee of the American Association of University Professors, SJC faculty members have at present 82 percent of the purchasing power of three contract years ago. Coupled with all indications of further inflationary increases in the next year, the faculty's request for a ten percent cost-of-living increase is reasonable and deserves serious consideration. We endorse the faculty's request, and urge the Treasurer's Committee to grant the salary increase for the 1974-75 contract year.

Progressive British Schools Highlight 1974 Spring Session European Tour

Dr. Florence Sawicki, Chairman of Saint Joseph's Education Department, has announced a course which will take students to England, Scotland and Paris during the 1974 spring session.

"Apparently some exciting things are happening in the British school system," states Dr. Sawicki. "They have created an academic environment that emphasizes student choice, individuality, freedom, and respect for rights. We've tried to do it in the United States, but the British have succeeded. What is terrific about the whole program is that students are learning, and loving it."

The session will include observations of various types of schools, including nursery, technical, and high school. Students

will also be able to talk with teachers about the British system and techniques.

This course is not limited to education majors, and can be taken for credit or without. Education majors can take the course to fulfill elective requirements or 12 of their 16 required observations.

The course will take students to London for two weeks, plus trips to Windsor, Stratford-on-Avon, Hampton Court and Winchester. Three days will be spent in Scotland and Paris. Cost for the trip is \$760, which includes transportation from Chicago, room accommodations and breakfast.

"Within the last few years a number of books have been written about the school system plus

Charles Banet, C.P.P.S.

Campus To Rebuild "Brick By Brick"

Saint Joseph's College is presently in the midst of an exciting and vital stage in its recovery from the February 4, 1973 fire that destroyed the Administration Building. Plans developed in the past ten months have been put into action, and the initial steps towards the redevelopment of our campus have been successfully launched. The next few months will be critical ones as we make decisions which will leave lasting imprints on this community.

One of these major steps was the launching of the "Brick by Brick" campus redevelopment campaign, which involves the efforts of trustees, students, par-

ents, alumni, faculty, staff, and many other concerned individuals. The money from this campaign will support the renovation and rebuilding of our campus, and the school has already received a number of gifts and pledges, large and small.

It may seem contradictory to read about a \$500,000 pledge while one also hears of budget cuts and the need to "tighten the purse strings," and the confusion may arise from a misunderstanding of the nature of the redevelopment fund.

The pledges and gifts currently being received by the college are specifically designated for the renovation of the campus.

We cannot divert money from this fund set aside for future campus revitalization to ease any financial stringencies placed on our current operational budget. To do so would be to jeopardize our plans for future development.

The operational budget has been balanced for the past two years, and we shall continue to have a balance in 1973-74, and in the years to come. This has not been an easy task, and will not be in the face of the spiraling costs of inflation. We will analyze our operations, and take those actions which will enable us to meet our current expenses out of our current income. This may mean cutting some financial corners, but a balanced budget is our guarantee to donors and potential donors that Saint Joseph's College is guarding the present, and insuring the future.

Our thanks to the whole community for your understanding and involvement in the revitalization of this campus. The opportunity is here to make this a more efficient and beautiful campus. We ask your continuing support through prayer and by involvement to see that the redevelopment fund exceeds our goals, and our budget stays in balance.

Charles Banet, C.P.P.S.
President

21 High-Achieving Seniors Selected For "Who's Who"

Twenty-one Saint Joseph's College seniors have been nominated for the 1973-74 issue of Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities. The students are selected by seniors on the basis of academic achievement and/or extracurricular activities.

The students are:

Paul Bergman, (Minster, Ohio), biology; Dan Bradley, (Cincinnati, Ohio), history; Steve Butler, (Cincinnati, Ohio), history; Jennifer Davis, (North

Judson, Ind.), business; Marcella Dreiling, (Hoxie, Kan.), mathematics; James Gambaiani, (Blandford, Ind.), math - computer; Frances Gemmer, (Fort Wayne, Ind.), English; George J. Hearty, Jr., (Akron, Ohio), business; David Huneryager, (Hammond, Ind.), physical education; Thomas Lee, (LaCrosse, Ind.), speech; Gary Lupa, (Chicago, Ill.), history; Thomas Maniscalco, (Fort Wayne, Ind.), accounting; Matthew McGee, Jr., (Benton Harbor, Mich.), biology; James Mignerey, (Hamilton, Ohio), speech; Thomas O'Donnell, (Peoria, Ill.), history; Kathy Olaney, (Michigan City, Ind.), education; Joseph Pallotta, (Medford, Mass.), business; James Saluke, (Dayton, Ohio), psychology; Benedict Sponseller, (Lakewood, Ohio), English, and Joseph Tito, (Chicago, Ill.), business.

The names of the students selected will be published in an annual directory which includes listings from over 1,000 schools in the United States, and several foreign nations in North and South America.

Wellman . . .

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Wellman says there is no way to evaluate how well students have complied with the voluntary cutbacks within the dorms. Apparently, students have cooperated in avoiding unnecessary expenditures of electricity in the dorms, in spite of the inconvenience involved.

One area where conservation vigilance is needed is heating in classrooms and residence halls. For example, many students and faculty cool off a warm room by opening a window, but will leave the radiator operating at a wasteful rate. Other than that, campus-wide response to energy conservation has been very positive. States Wellman: "The cooperation of the whole institution has been just tremendous."

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Letters To The Editors

Dear Students,

First of all, let me thank you for listening, and giving us your feedback on the station. This semester has shown many improvements at the station, both physically and in the basic operation. We have gotten in touch with every record company, and our service has increased by at least 50 percent from most companies. This brings us to the subject of this letter.

Nine out of ten times when someone asks me about a record we don't have, the reason we don't have it is one of the following:

A. There is a vinyl shortage, and most companies are cutting back on their college service.

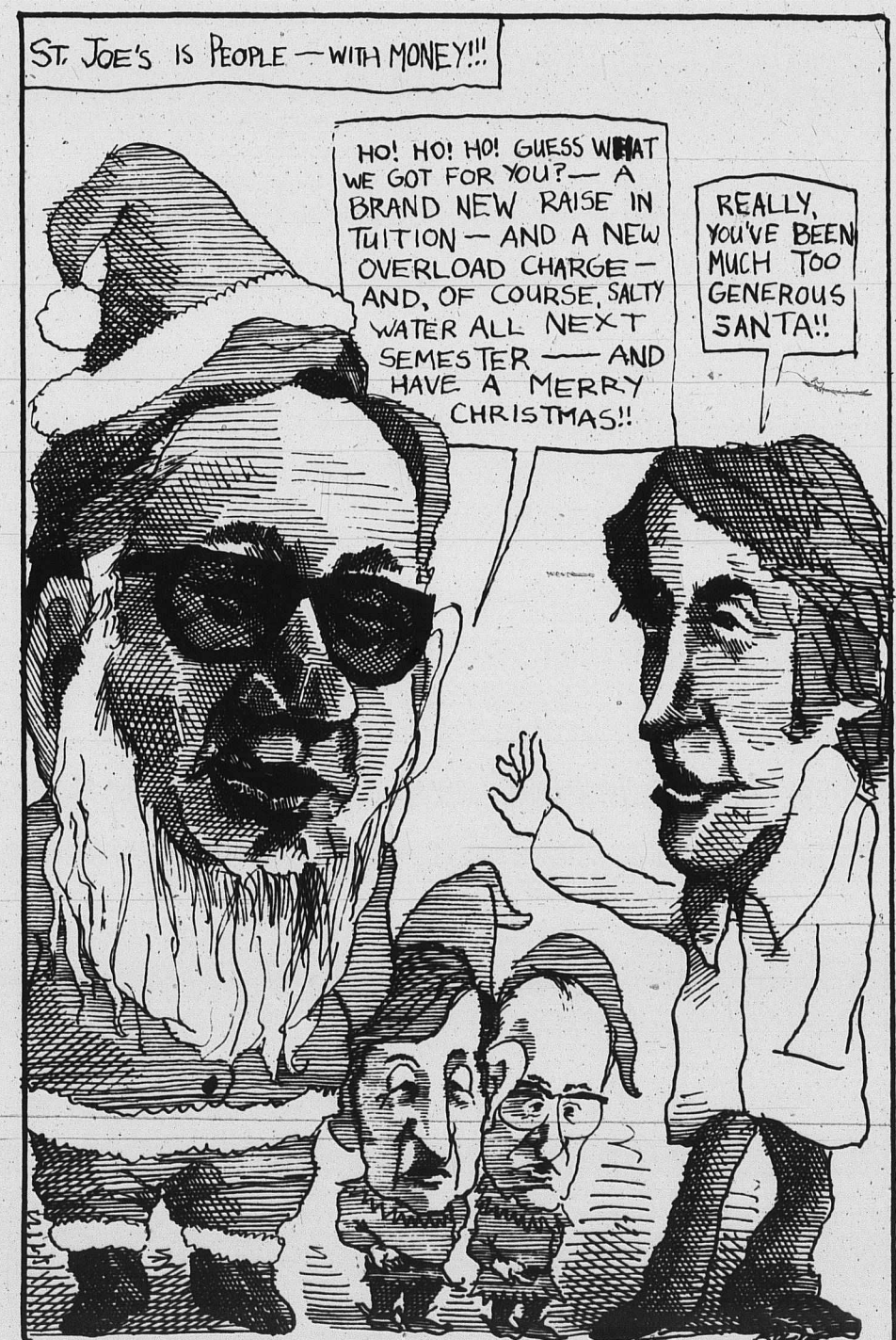
B. We are not serviced by Capitol records.

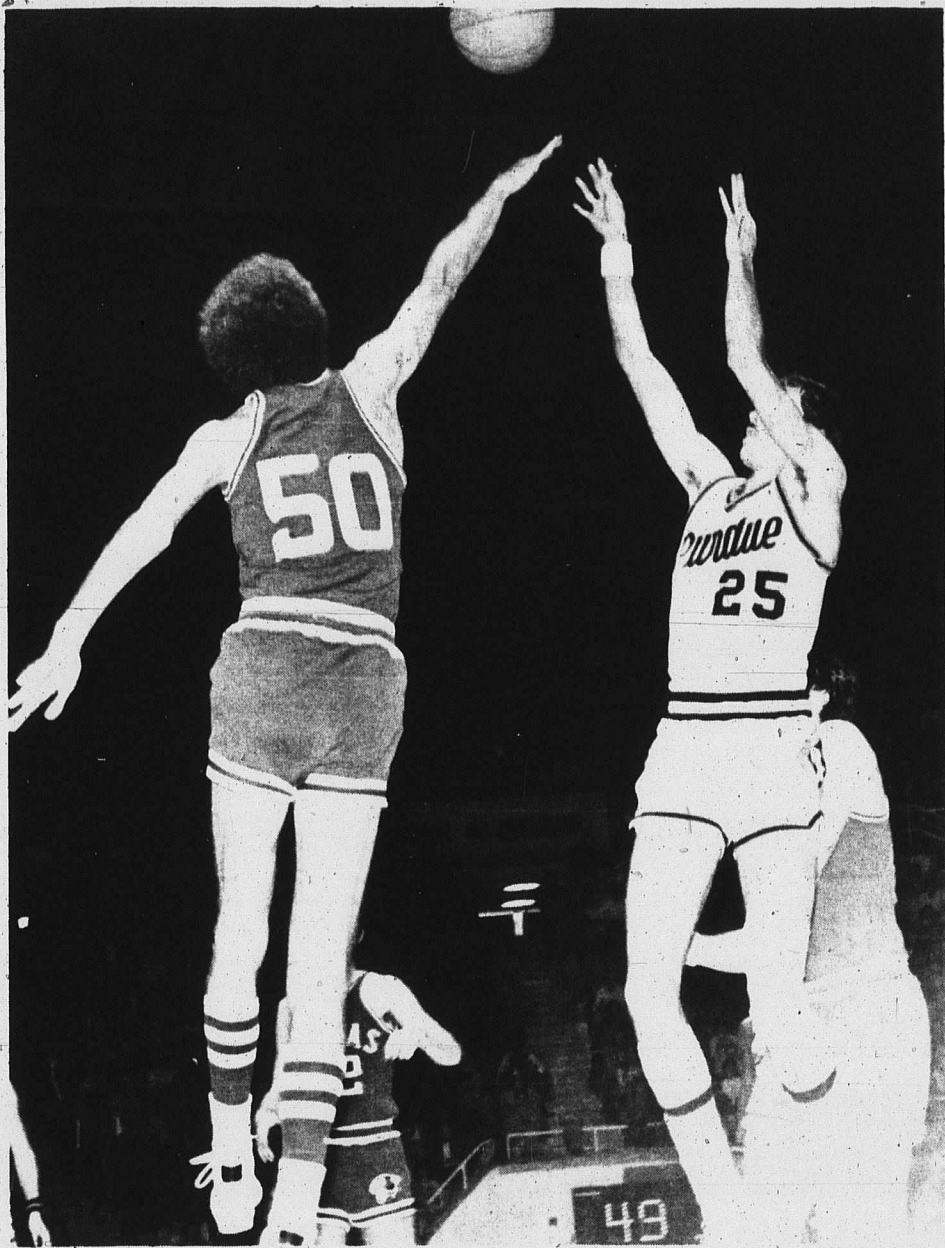
C. Warner Bros. records has apparently stopped our service because of "A," and because of our (the college's) size.

D. Columbia and Epic records service us with only 45's.

We appreciate your understanding on this matter. We will continue to serve the college both musically and informationally to the best of our ability. Again, thank you for listening to WOWI.

Sincerely,
Dave Sabaini
Music Director, WOWI





Purdue forward Jerry Nichols fires a shot over the outstretched arm of Puma center Jim Thordsen during the Saints' 103-81 loss Dec. 3. Thordsen scored 20 points and had nine rebounds in the game.

Beard, Pallotta Selected To Conference First Unit

Saint Joseph's has landed two players on the 1973 All-Indiana Collegiate Conference football team.

Flanker back Joe Pallotta, the league's leading pass receiver, grabbed his deserved spot on the offensive team while tackle Keric Beard was a ready choice on the defensive unit.

Pallotta, a 5-9, 183-pound senior from Medford, Mass., established new school records this fall by grabbing 50 passes, good for 694 yards and four touchdowns.

Beard, a 5-7 230-pound senior from Angola, Ind., compiled 109 tackles on the Pumas' defensive front. It marks the second consecutive year he has won a first-team honor, although he was an offensive guard choice a year ago.

Three other Pumas rated second-team berths. Quarterback Bill Reagan and fullback Jim Taylor were offensive unit selections while cornerback Willie Turner was named to the defensive unit.

Puma Cubs Lose Season Opener

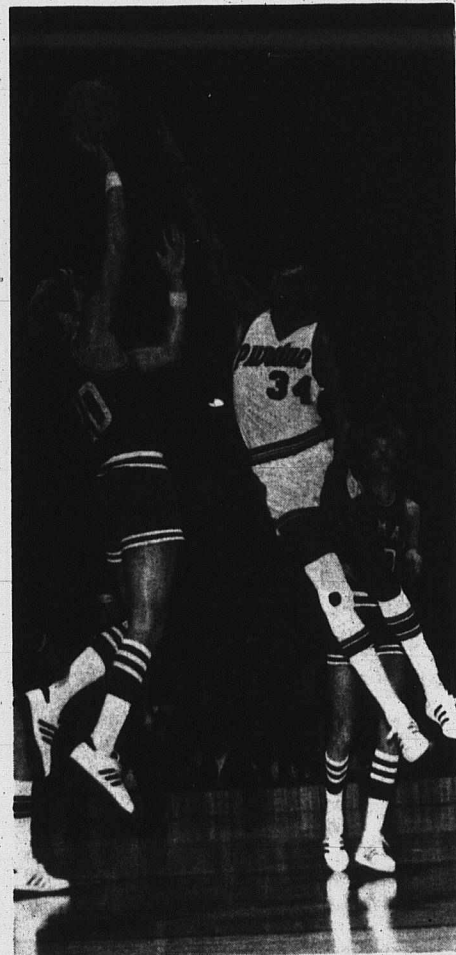
Saint Joseph's junior varsity basketball team went into tall competition against Purdue Monday night, and came out on the short end of a 108-71 score.

Purdue's stingy defense forced 32 Puma turnovers and 68 missed shots, as Saint Joe shot a cold 32 percent from the field and 60 percent from the foul line.

The Boilermakers rolled to a 55-35 halftime margin and extended their lead to 40 points late in the second half before the final buzzer.

Freshman guard Cyril Benjamin led the Puma attack with 21 points, but Curt Symonds was the only other Puma to finish in double figures, as he had 11. Jack Dunphy and Jim Peters had nine points and nine rebounds, respectively, for Saint Joe, while Jim Matej finished with eight points and the same number of rebounds.

In all, six players finished in double figures for the Boilermakers, led by 7-0 freshman center Dan McDermott with 18 points. Pat Manahzn finished the night with 15 points, Dick Satterfield and Tim Newman chipped in with 14 points apiece, Mike Steele contributed 13, while Gerald Thomas had 12.



Forward Kyle Wiggs (20) fights past a group of players for a shot during the Purdue game.

SJC Win No. 500

Saint Joseph's 107-87 victory over Grace marked the 500th victory in SJC history. Another milestone will be reached Dec. 20 as the Pumas play Indiana Tech in the Dominican Tournament; it marks the 1,000th game in school history.

Hot-Handed Pumas Rout Grace, 107-87, For First Win Of Season

Saint Joseph's basketball team enters its 58th season of inter-collegiate competition as the smallest and youngest team in the Indiana Collegiate Conference while rushing headlong into the toughest schedule in school history. That tough schedule was unveiled Dec. 1 and Dec. 3 as Saint Joe went down at the hands of Dayton and Purdue, before defeating Grace Wednesday night, 107-87.

Four starters, including the ICC's most valuable player, return from last season's 14-11 unit which led the conference in offense, field goal accuracy and assists.

Jim Thordsen, Saint Joseph's (and the conference's) most valuable player in 1972-73, heads the group of returnees which includes forwards Dave Huneryager, Alan Rockwell and Kyle Wiggs, and guards Bill Hogan and Pete Santana. Thordsen

leads Saint Joe in scoring this season, averaging 18.7 points per contest, with Huneryager and Rockwell close behind at 18.0. Huneryager leads the squad in rebounding, averaging almost ten per game.

The toughest schedule in Puma basketball history, including Dayton and Purdue, features upcoming jousts with Northwestern and DePaul Universities, Eastern Illinois, Wisconsin-Oshkosh, Tri-State and the tougher-than-ever Indiana Collegiate Conference.

Saint Joseph's won its first game of the season, and the 500th game in Collegeville history against Grace Wednesday. The Pumas shot a nifty 60 percent from the field for the game, including a 69 percent mark in the second half. Saint Joe jumped to a 58-43 halftime margin and staved off any thoughts of a Grace comeback. Six-six center

Ed Miller of Grace led all scorers with 29 points, while five Pumas scored in double figures, led by Huneryager and Rockwell with 20 apiece. Thordsen had 17 points and 14 rebounds in the game, while Wiggs and Hogan had 14 points each.

Saint Joe opened its season by stepping into the realm of big-time college basketball at Dayton Saturday and came out on the short end of a 97-71 score.

The Pumas stunned the 12,157 opening night fans by jumping to a 10-4 lead. Dayton then settled down to play hard-nosed defense, led by the guard combination of Don Smith and Johnny Davis, and led the Pumas at halftime, 46-26.

Dayton killed any chance of a Puma comeback when they doubled the score at 52-26 within the first three minutes of the second half. Smith and Davis were the leaders in the second half, hitting long-range baskets and keeping the Puma guards from penetrating to the basket.

Smith and Davis had 23 and 21 points, respectively, for the Flyers, and Mike Sylvester helped with 18. Thordsen led Saint Joseph's in scoring with 19, but had just two rebounds in the contest. Rockwell had 15 points, Wiggs added 14, and Huneryager, playing in a reserve role, had 13 points and 14 rebounds.

Two nights later came Purdue, and the Boilermakers socked it to the Pumas, 103-81. Purdue never trailed in the contest, as they scored the first six points of the game and rolled to a 31-14 lead before Saint Joe could get untracked. The Pumas staged a rush which saw the Purdue lead dwindle to seven at 32-25. Then Bruce Parkinson moved the Boilermaker offense once more and broke away from Saint Joe to a 58-40 halftime margin.

Both teams played even in the second half, with Saint Joseph's trying to cut the margin and Purdue sitting on the lead. Excellent shooting by forwards Frank Kendrick and Bruce Rose kept the 11,971 Mackey Arena fans at ease during the second half.

Kendrick hit ten of 13 shots from the field and scored 22 points overall, as six Purdue players had more than ten points. John Garrett, the 6-11 junior center who some say is the best center in the midwest, had 18 points, hitting on nine of 14 shots from the field.

Huneryager led the Puma scoring with 21 points, with Rockwell adding 19.

PUMA PRINTS

Dipping From The Well . . .

by Robin Hartman

Despite Saint Joseph's 3-7 football mark, 15 marks were rewritten into the record books. Most notable of the new marks are records set by senior Joe Pallotta and freshman Jeff Taylor.

Pallotta now holds the single-season marks for most passes caught (50) and most yardage gained pass receiving (694) and the single-game mark for most yards gained (161 vs. Illinois Benedictine). Taylor, in his first start against Benedictine, set a single-game passing yardage mark (317 yards) and total yardage record (330); both records were held by Terry Campbell. . .

If you think Dayton and Purdue are tough opponents on Saint Joseph's basketball schedule, consider that the Pumas will be challenging Dayton, Notre Dame, Cincinnati and Wichita State next year, and two years from now Notre Dame, Cincinnati, Wichita and Marquette.

After seeing the best guard tandem in the midwest (if not the nation) at Dayton and the best big man in the Big Ten at Purdue, one has to wonder if the rest of the schedule is as easy as people think. If the news media's crystal ball was correct, the Pumas may be looking up at Butler and Evansville before the season ends.

Doormats of the conference, DePauw and Wabash, could surprise and finish high. DePauw's Elmer McCall has recruited two excellent junior college products from California for the Tigers, while virtually all of the Little Giants return from last season. Wabash flexed its muscles last Saturday in an 87-82 upset of Eastern Illinois, Saint Joseph's opponent Dec. 12.

Finally, no one asked, but. . .

The basketball team will finish 17-9 and tie for the conference crown with Butler. . .

The junior varsity will win more than one game this season (if someone could tell the sports editor when the games will be played). . .

North Carolina State will beat UCLA Dec. 15 in St. Louis by seven (the Pumas will whip Illinois Benedictine the same night). . .

Ohio State should have gone to the Rose Bowl and will prove it by beating USC, while Alabama will have a field day (or night) New Year's Eve against Notre Dame. . .

Merry Christmas, and Happy New Year.

Kohoutek Arouses Student Interest

By PAUL MISNIAK

All over the world, astronomers and scientists are eagerly awaiting the arrival of the comet Kohoutek, first discovered Mar. 23 on its route to the sun. Its large size (for a comet), the unusually long amount of time between its discovery and its arrival, and its close approach to the sun make Kohoutek unique.

Given advance warning, the world's scientists and NASA have armed themselves with special telescopes and sophisticated scientific instruments in anticipation of an opportunity for a close look at what some

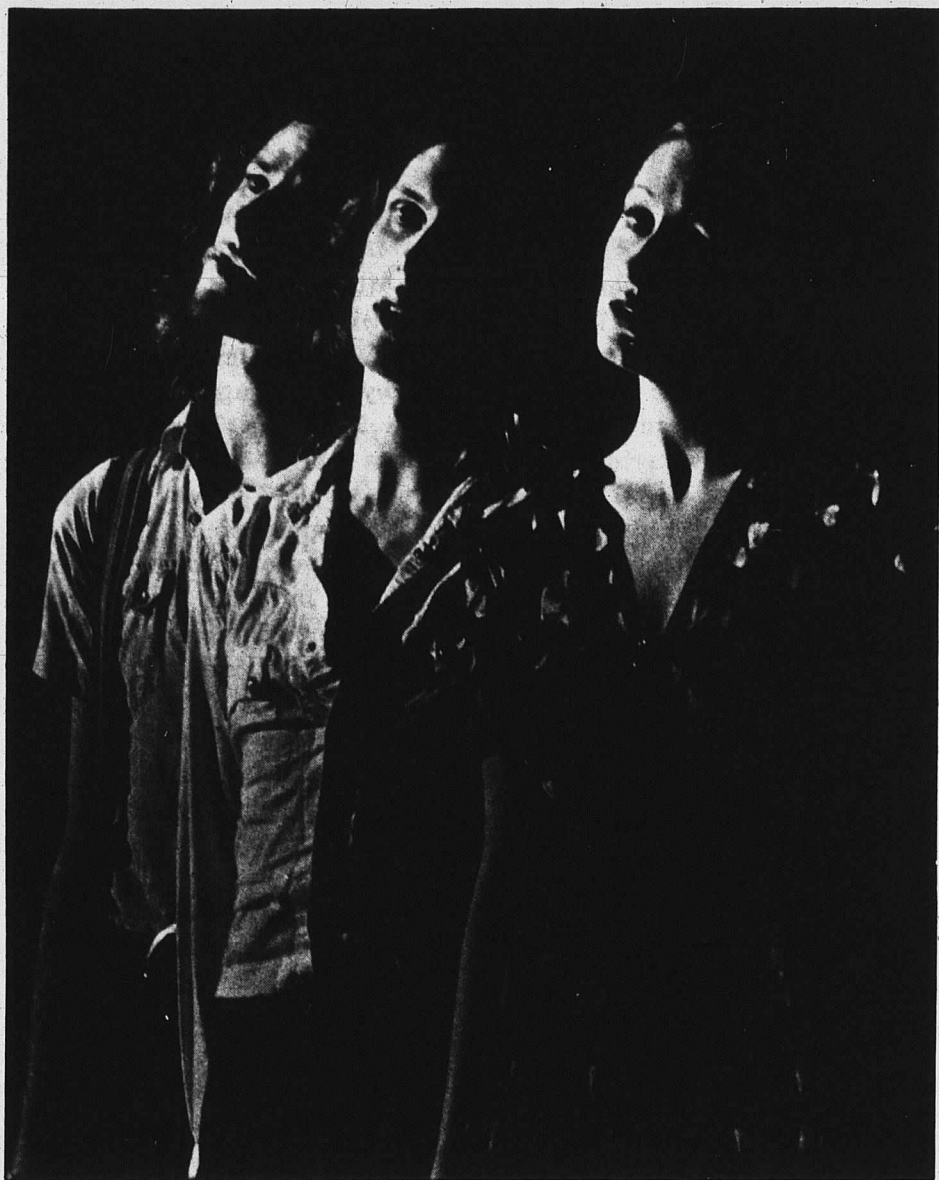
consider part of the original matter of the universe.

To the casual observer, the next few months will bring a unique opportunity to see the sky show that may not be rivaled this century. Although residing in a small rural community like Rensselaer has disadvantages in terms of comet-watching, it does have the advantage of relatively pollution-free skies and a minimum of bright lighting, making celestial viewing easy.

The best period to view the comet will be from Dec. 29 to Jan. 15, from sunset to a couple of hours afterwards. At first it

will be in the southwest where the sun sets, but it will rise higher each day. From Jan. 15 to 28 it will be visible in the early evening after twilight high above the western horizon. Binoculars will also be helpful, from Feb. 1-15 in the same location. After Feb. 15, binoculars and later telescopes will be needed as the comet heads away from the sun (and us).

This visitor from outer space will not have any noticeable effect on the earth, report scientists, other than tying up telephone lines by earthlings alarmed by the recent rash of UFO viewings.



Caught from the show-stopping rock-gospel song "Timid Frieda" are (left to right) Paul Baker, Sharon Musso and Dede Washburn, during the performance of "Jacques Brel Is Alive And Well And Living In Paris," which will be on campus Jan. 17.

New York - Based Company To Perform 'Jacques Brel...'

In conjunction with the Fine Arts Department, the Student Association is sponsoring one performance of the musical revue, "Jacques Brel Is Alive And Well And Living In Paris," Jan. 17. Royce Carlton, Inc., are the producers, and the revue is performed by members of the New York-based Alive People Company.

"Jacques Brel..." is a musical revue that ran successfully on Broadway in 1969, and since has been received with praise from audiences throughout the U.S., and several foreign countries. The title refers to the Belgian singer-composer of the revue's 25 songs, who is presently alive, well and popular in France.

The Alive People Company consists of nine people, who alternate as musicians and singers in the play. There is no concrete plot, no defined characters, and no set. On the surface, the revue is merely a group of per-

formers who sing English adaptations of Jacques Brel's songs.

The unifying element of the production are the 25 songs dealing with war, death, love and hypocrisy, all underlined by Brel's cryptic Gaulic wit. Some of the songs have achieved popularity in the U.S. in the recordings of artists like Judy Collins and Joni Mitchell.

According to Newsweek magazine, "The songs are original, fascinating in their diversity; each one is a minidrama. Sometimes with humor, always with

wit, Brel's songs describe a world where tears are dry and laughter hollow, and it's hard to tell the difference between the dead and the living. Despite the tone of pessimism, Brel's songs hint that we are able to pierce that veil of despair, and celebrate the joy of life."

There will be one performance of "Jacques Brel..." Jan. 17, 7:30 p.m. in the fieldhouse. Tickets (students, \$1; adults, \$2) will be sold prior to the performance, and may be purchased at the door.

Christmas Cheer...

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The true significance of the approaching holidays is represented by the Advent wreath displayed in the vestibule of the main Chapel. A communal penance service is scheduled for Dec. 13, and Christmas Mass will be celebrated in the main Chapel Dec. 16, at 9:30 p.m.

The Liturgy Committee invites members of the SJC community to individually express the joy and peace of Christmas season by creating colorful banners to brighten the main Chapel for Christmas Mass. Banners will be returned to contributors before vacation, and a cash prize for the best creation will be awarded at a party in Chapel cafeteria following Mass. Interested students should contact Fr.

Leonard Kostka, College Chaplain, or Shirley DeBrosse (jr.-Jus.).

Winding up the semester's activities, the Concert Chorus will accompany Mass in Saint Augustine's Church in Rensselaer Dec. 16 and also at the Core IX liturgy in the Chapel Dec. 18.



Dec. 10 — Basketball: Purdue-Calumet, 7:30 p.m., fieldhouse.
Dec. 11 — Movie: "Ben Hur," 7:30 and 10 p.m., auditorium.

Dec. 12 — Movie: "Anne of a Thousand Days," 7:30 and 10 p.m., auditorium. Basketball: at Eastern Illinois, 8 p.m.

Dec. 13 — Communal penance service, 7 p.m., Halleck Center ballroom.

Dec. 14 — Party: SA Tree Trimming, 7 p.m., Halleck Center. Movie: "The Baby Maker," 7:30 and 10 p.m., auditorium. Mixer: "Happy Medium," 9 p.m. to midnight, Chapel cafeteria.

Dec. 15 — Basketball: Illinois Benedictine, 7:30 p.m., fieldhouse.

Dec. 16 — Movie: "Play It As It Lays," 6:30 and 10 p.m., auditorium. Mass: pre-Christmas, 9:30 p.m., Chapel.

Dec. 19 — Last day of fall semester. Amen!

Dec. 20-21 — Basketball: Dominican Tourney, at Racine, Wis.

Dec. 29 — Basketball: Northwestern, 3:05 p.m., Evanston, Ill.

Jan. 5 — New students enroll. Basketball: at DePaul, 8 p.m.

Jan. 6 — Registration for returning students.

Longest Senate Meeting In History Discusses, Produces Six Motions

A three-hour Senate meeting, the longest in Saint Joseph's history, produced the discussion and passage of six motions, the announcement of a Student Association fee increase, and discussion with Fr. Charles Banet, President of Saint Joseph's College.

The Senate adopted a proposal to withhold student approval of tuition increase until certain requests are met by the administration. The proposal was:

"We the members of the Student Senate of Saint Joseph's College hereby withhold any approval of the proposed tuition increase for next year unless the following requests are met. We request that:

1) A full and detailed written report be presented to the Senate explaining why we need the increase and where that increase will be spent. This report should be specific and include figures.

2) That construction on the Woollen plan begin as soon as possible. Specifically that bids would have been let and construction begun by this date.

3) That the faculty receive a cost-of-living increase in their salary.

4) That the overload charge be changed from 16 to 17 hours before an overload charge is made.

5) That the pass/fail option be extended to one full month from the beginning of each semester.

6) That part of this increase be allocated to the food budget, at discretion of the Treasurer's Committee.

If these requests are not implemented or if sufficient reason is not presented for the failure of their implementation the Senate will not support a tuition increase."

Larry Bloemer (soph. - Ben.) and Tim Ritter (jr.-Gal.) entered a motion regarding Easter vacation:

"We the members of the Student Senate of Saint Joseph's

College move to ask that the Academic Cabinet reconsider the school calendar concerning the Easter break. We consider it uneconomical for many students to be off for six days and then return for ten days.

"We would suggest that Monday, Apr. 15 be a holiday to allow a long weekend for those who can go home, and then end classes on Tuesday, Apr. 23."

Two motions presented by Gail Fitch (jr.-Gal.) asked the Senate to take action against maintenance departments on campus. They entailed the use of walkways by school trucks, and repair for areas of Halleck Center.

Another motion asked for action to be taken against the business practices of Superior Cleaners, in hope of improving

equipment and performance of the company. Senators also expressed the want of giving campus tours to members of the Board of Trustees, and requested the next meeting to be held on campus.

Mike Slattery (jr.-Ben.), Student Association Treasurer, announced an increase in SA fees of five dollars a semester, after acceptance of the Treasurer's Committee report. The Senate had originally adopted a ten dollar increase on Nov. 25, but Slattery felt the original ten-dollar increase beyond student means in light of proposed tuition hikes.

Banet was on hand for the three-hour marathon, answering questions and adding to discussions.

'Man For All Seasons' Featured This Weekend

The Columbian Players' production of Robert Bolt's play, "A Man For All Seasons," will be presented in the Auditorium Dec. 7-8-9 at 7:30 p.m.

The play is directed by Willard Walsh, professor of Saint Joseph's Communications and Theatre Arts Department.

The major players and their roles include: Dave Sabaini (soph.-Ben.) as the Common Man; Mark Hendren (soph.-ESF.) as Sir Thomas More; Al Geleske (jr.-Pwh.) as Master Richard Rich; Don Kuchta (jr.-Ben.) as The Duke of Norfolk; and John Oliver (soph.-Noll) as Thomas Cromwell.

Kathy Flinn, (fr.-Jus.), Mary DiPiero, (jr.-Jus.); Mark Bolla, (fr.-Gal.) and Phil Simon, (sr.-Ben.) portray minor characters, along with Alon Prunty, (soph.-Gal.); Tim Kirkbride, (fr.-Swt.); John McGee, (fr.-Gal.); Janice Simonelli, (fr.-Hal.) and Joseph Deardorff, (fr.-ESF.).

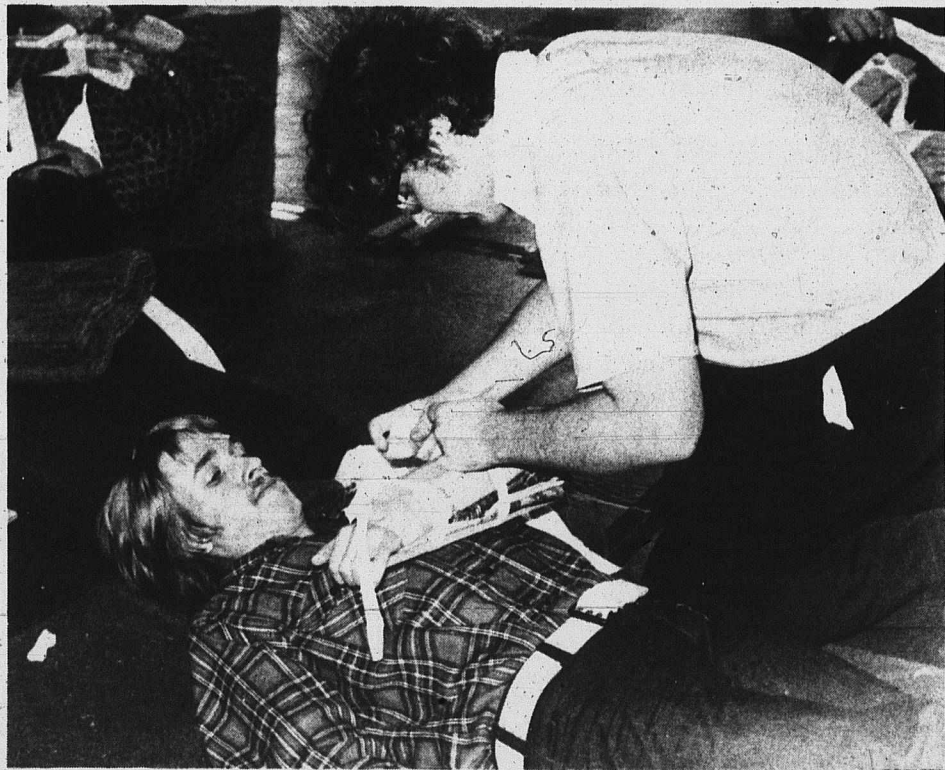
Bolt's drama revolves around Sir Thomas More, friend and advisor of King Henry VIII, who finds that he must choose between the demands of his king and the teachings of the church. The conflict arises when Henry marries Catherine, the widow of his deceased brother, for political purposes. The questionable marriage is contracted only after Henry pressures Rome to give the couple Papal dispensation. Later, Henry attempts to divorce his wife but the Pope will not yield to royal pressure, and refuses to sanction the divorce. Henry then decides to circumvent Papal authority by establishing his own church, and it is at this point that More must make his decision.

Admission to the play is \$1.50 for adults and 75 cents for children, with SJC students admitted free.

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(Continued from page one) playwriting, film scripting, or photography and imagery. Under the direction of college English faculty members and English majors, the writers will learn and practice methods of writing while they prepare a piece of work in their particular field for presentation and critical analysis.

Sponsors of Miss Brooks' appearance include the Student Association, the Black Student Union, the Core program, the Office of the Academic Dean, and the Saint Joseph's English Department. Dr. Kerlin remarks that joint organizational sponsorship such as this can enable Saint Joseph's College to enjoy more distinguished and beneficial guest speakers.



Rich Rudowski (jr.-Aqu.) tries out emergency first aid techniques on 'victim' Ron Frankowicz (soph.-ESF.) during the Red Cross-sponsored safety program on campus last weekend.